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A WHOLESALE JAIL BREAK AT BRENTWOOD

Twelve Inmates Chop Way To Freedom

"Trusty" Supposed To Have Furnished Tools To Prisoners

Probably supplied with tools by some "trusty," twelve inmates of the county farm at Brentwood cut a hole through a ceiling and escaped to a floor above and thence to liberty at some time Monday night, getting away so quietly and successfully that their absence was not discovered until Tuesday morning. Even then the jail delivery was not reported and news of it did not become known in this city till Tuesday evening, when one of the prisoners, Roy Blanchard, was arrested on Bow street by Officers West and Robinson.

In the dozen were three from this city, William Currier, Michael Norton and Henry Quinn. The majority of the others were serving from six months to a year for drunkenness or vagrancy. They were considered a bad lot and were confined in the jail connected with the house of correction. Two of them had served but two days, having been sent from Epping.

Once on the second floor the men forced an entrance to the store room and changed their rigs, selecting civilian clothing of the best the stock afforded. They then forced several doors and made their escape down a back stairway.

It will be recalled that the county commissioners in their recent report said the jail was in poor condition and that a new one was sadly needed.

The locks are bad and the escape, it was said, was a comparatively easy matter. The present building was built in 1876 and in no respect is up to date.

Through fear of fire, it is said, some of the locks in the old structure had not been locked, and thus made their escape more easy.

There were twenty-eight prisoners under confinement. The remainder did not attempt to get away.

Wide Awake Mothers Will Dress Their Little Ones In These Pretty Wash Dresses

Mothers, like everyone else, are progressive nowadays. Once they take a look at these dainty Wash Dresses and note their prices they will decide pretty quick that they know of pleasanter and more profitable ways to spend their time than in plying the needle.

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Sizes are 6 months to 5 years and from 6 to 14 years.

Spring is now here and everybody is getting their apparel to appear on Easter Sunday. Neckwear is a small article but if you have on a good suit you want something neat for your neck. Our line of Lace Dutch Collars, Jabots, Collars and Ties is complete. Lace Dutch Collars 25c, 50c, 75c and $1 25. Beautiful Jabots, Lace, Swiss and Hand Embroidered, 25c to $2.98 Stocks of all kind, also a full line of White and Colored Ruchings.

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NAVY YARD

Joiners Get a Call.

Seven joiners were called for duty by the labor board today. This is the first call this branch of mechanics has received in many months.

In addition to the joiners three blacksmiths' helpers were also required.

Sending Away Powder by Freight.

The general store at the yard is loading a car with black powder which is to be shipped by freight to Indian Head, Md.

Big Class for Examination.

The examination for master electrician to be held next week is said to have a large number of applicants. Up to date over a dozen have filed papers for the same. The most of them are from other cities.

Putting on the Guns.

The thirteen-inch guns of the U. S. S. Maine were placed aboard the stern of the vessel at the shears dock this morning. Following this the big guns of the Wisconsin, which have been returned from the gun factory, will be put in place.

Good Men Are Wanted.

The department are still looking for first class machinists. The good men of this trade can find work immediately by complying with the regulations of the labor board.

Up Again Before the Board.

Corporal J. E. Ganson, who is held in connection with the death of Private Rasmussen, was brought before the naval court martial board at the yard today.

French Cruisers at New York

The French cruisers Admiral Aubre, La Gloire and Conde, under command of Admiral Dafaure de la Jerte, anchored off Tompkinsville Tuesday evening. The ships have been cruising in American waters for some time.

Navy Orders.

Commissioned: Captains T. W. Kinkaid, W. W. Buchanan, E. E. Capehart, K. McAlpine, E. Theiss, Lieutenant junior grade, D. B. Goldman, Lieut C. Darst, retired, to home; Lieut. I. M. Major, to the California as senior engineer officer.

Vessel Movements.

Arrived: Hopkins at San Diego. Celtic at Guantanamo. Sailed: Stringham, from Washington for Norfolk; Connecticut, from Hampton Roads for southern drill grounds; Grayling, Salmon, Bonita, Snapper, Tarpon and Stingray from Annapolis for cruise in Chesapeake bay; Paulding, from Norfolk for Solomon's Island; Justin, from Mare Island for San Diego; Delaware, from Punta Arenas for Rio de Paneiro.

"Mad House" on Cruiser.

"Lang's mad house," in large red letters, was painted on the lead-colored sides of the armored cruiser Maryland recently by disgruntled jackies who were angry at the strict discipline of their commander. An investigation is being conducted to learn the identity of the men responsible. The Maryland is at San Diego, Cal., now, and the men who have come ashore are said to have complained bitterly of the rigid discipline imposed by Commander C. J. Lang, executive officer.

Had to Fight to Get Him.

Andrew J. Fitzgerald, who escaped from the naval prison at Boston in October last was captured at his home in Boston on Tuesday. Captain Driscoll of Station 5, knowing Fitzgerald's probable homesickness would lure him to his mother's place, sent Policemen Irwin, Lane and Dale to search the house and get him. The sister refused to admit them at first, but they insisted on going in. They saw the deserter's foot sticking from under an iron bed. He put up a fight, jumping up and shoving the iron bed between himself and three policemen. He is a strong chap, formerly a fireman. He changed his mind on resisting when the two big revolvers were pushed under his nose.

THE NEW YORK STATE CAPITOL DESTROYED

An Appalling Conflagration At Albany

Twelve Million Dollar Damage To Immense Building In Few Hours

Albany, N. Y., March 29.—In a few hours this morning fire practically ruined the immense and magnificent state capitol in this city, inflicting a damage of $12,000,000. The conflagration broke out at 3 a. m., and is supposed to have resulted from defective wiring.

The fire fighting force of all the surrounding cities and towns bent their energies desperately to conquering the blaze, but not until noon, when the magnificent structure was practically ruined, was it gotten under control.

In that short time the flames wrought havoc in the west wing of the great building especially in the library and assembly and committee rooms. Records and books of immense value, priceless statuary and historic relics were destroyed, and the loss is such that no money can replace much of the damage.

The city is plunged into gloom at the awful calamity. The capitol building was one of the finest, if not the most magnificent and best equipped in the country.

It was of granite and though in process of construction for nearly 20 years, was hardly completed. It had already cost $28,000,000.

MISS KELLEY TEMPORARILY MINT DIRECTOR

A Portsmouth woman is acting director of the mint at Washington for several days this week with the legal possibility of being made acting secretary of the treasury, provided Chief Clerk Preston, who is ill, is unable to return to the office.

The woman is Miss Margaret V. Kelley, daughter of Mrs. Ellen Kelley of Lincoln avenue, and sister of Attorney John W. Kelley of Middle street. She is adjuster of accounts in the director's office. Director Roberts left Washington Monday for a few days and has formally designated Miss Kelley to perform the duties in his absence.

While the likelihood of Miss Kelley's serving as acting secretary of the treasury is very remote, it is recalled that twice within easy recollection the director of the mint has been called upon to assume the duties of that position. Frank A. Leach was acting secretary for several days and Directors Roberts served for a day during the absence of Secretary McVeagh.

Miss Keley is one of the highest salaried women in the employ of the government and will receive a further increase of pay at the beginning of the next fiscal year.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

FATALLY STRICKEN AT SEA

Hampton Fisherman Never Rallied From a Paralytic Shock

Henry Palmer, a fisherman of Hampton, while hauling trawls in his boat off that place Tuesday afternoon was stricken with a paralytic shock and fell helpless half over the rail of his boat.

A fellow fisherman saw his predicament and went to his rescue, taking him ashore and to his home. Palmer did not regain consciousness and died later Tuesday night.

He was aged about 50 years and is survived by a wife and family.

RASMUSSEN CASE WILL BE THRESHED OUT

County Attorney 9. C. Richardson will arrive in Kittery and Thursday forenoon and hold a hearing on the case of Corporal Simeon C. Ganson in Grange hall at 10 a. m., Sheriff Frank T. Clarkson told the Herald this forenoon.

It is understood that Ganson is up for summary court martial before the navy board today. Tomorrow he will probably be charged with manslaughter in having caused the death of Private Louis E. Rasmussen on Saturday night.

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WHAT WE SAY IS SO

Theatrical Topics

"The Lottery Man," one of the funniest conceits of the hour, will have its first local hearing at Music Hall Saturday evening. Cyril Scott, an actor well remembered for his excellent work in "The Prince Chap," is the star. Rida Johnson Young, author of "Brown of Harvard," "Naughty Henrietta," etc., wrote it and in the company supporting Mr. Scott are Helen Lowell, one of the best character actresses we have, Louise Galloway, Bertha Bartlett, Jennie Dickenson, Mary Leslie Mayo, Harry Dornton, Robert McKay and Wallace Sharpe. The story o fan impecunious reporter who offers himself as a prize in a lottery, which is won by an ancient acidulous spinster and how the victim of his own speculation escapes from the toil, furnishes the basis for most of the fun. Boston has recently indorsed the comedy as one of the best seen there in many years! It was praised for its freedom from vulgar situations and risque lines with which so many of the present day farces are burdened. The original company will be seen here. What promises to be one of the most notable comedy events of the season is the engagement of "The Lottery Man" This was one of the genuine successes of the last New York season, where it remained at the Bijou theatre for a Shubert are now sending it to this city with the same cast headed by that popular star Cyril Scott. The comedy which is by Rida Johnson Young, takes its name from the fact that a newspaper reporter offers himself as a matrimonial prize in a human lottery and is won by an old maid named Lizzie. In this character Helen Lowell has scored an unmistakable triumph, sharing honors with the star. Others of prominence in the fine cast are Louise Galloway, Bertha Bartlett, Jennie Dickenson, Mary Leslie Mayo, Robert Mollay, Harry Bornton and Wallace Sharpe.

"We've Kept the Golden Rule."

The sales of a really popular song run up into the thousands, and the lucky authors revel temporarily in the wealth it brings them. Jerome H. Remick & Co. have had as many as six of these songs selling at one time.

This is a remarkable record, but to have one writer furnish four of them seems almost a miracle. Percy Wenrich, one of our youngest song writers, has again demonstrated his ability to strike the popular fancy by his latest, "We've Kept the Golden Rule."

Founded, as it is, upon the oldest and greatest principle of moral philosophy, the lyric goes as straight of the hearts of the music-loving multitude as does the tuneful melody.

A sentiment similar to that of "Old Grey Bonnet" pervades this song, and young and old will benefit by its moral.

When songs like "We've Kept the Golden Rule," become popular, the world is getting better.

Chorus

When we were playmates together,
In all sorts of weath,
I would whistle for you as we trot along to school.
Through the green fields we'd ramble,
And watch the lambs at gambol,
And we've always kept the Golden Rule.

Three Twins.

"Three Twins," Jos. M. Gaites' sparkling musical comedy which comes to Music Hall soon with Clifton Crawford, the inimitable young Scotch comedian, and the New York cast and company, is not typical, far from it. This fact probably accounts in a measure at least for its extreme popularity. It is a marvel of stage craft constructed upon original lines—a production whose scenic investiture is lavish, and whose creator has approached the point of prodigality in preparing it for presentation. This play is not limited to the background, but appears with equal weight in the superb chorus of singers, the nimble dancers and clever principals who furnish the action.

The charms of "Three Twins" lies in three distinct but cleverly blended features; the music graceful in idea and of the elusive and, for the most part, delicate sort, refreshing and enlivening; a highly amusing story cleverly unfolded by capable principals; the novelty and magnificence of this special scenic and electrical inventions and conceits, which warp the whole as in a splendid garment.

The plot, while involving mistaken identity, is a far departure from the time worn abuse of the topic. It is a case of two real twins, and a third "twin" who makes himself up so that in appearance he is the exact counterpart of the genuine twins. The action is swift situations ludicrous, the dialogue luminous with wit and the interpretation admirable.

Assisting Mr. Crawford in this highly amusing play, are Mayme Gehrue as the "Yama Yama" girl, Daisy Leon, Della Niven, Elsie Mynne, Joseph Allen, Hugh Fay, Russell Lennon Ralph Locke and George Herbert.

DOVER MAN HELD FOR THREATENING LETTERS

Arthur J. McKenney of Dover, aged 22, was held in $1000 in police court at Rochester Tuesday by Judge Lawrence V. McGill to keep the peace and for his appearance on May 1 at a continued hearing on the charge of sending threatening letters to Chas. Hersom of 10 Harrison avenue and attaching the name of Atty. William S. Pierce of Dover thereto.

McKenney had been paying attention to Miss Bertha M. Cram, aged 16, sister-in-law of Mr. Hersom. Mr. Hersom as well as his family objected to the couple's courtship and forbade McKenney coming to the house. It was stated in the alleged letters that if Mr. Hersom did not desist in his obections to McKenney coming to his residence the latter would prosecute the former. The young couple, while in court, showed much affection for each other and attracted much attention.

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Pape's Diapepsin is certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drug store waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient otthoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other stomach disturbance.

ROAD ASKS AUTHORITY FOR BUILDING

The house judiciary committee gave a hearing on Tuesday evening to General Solicitor E. J. Rich of the Boston and Maine railroad, who asked to have introduced a bill giving the road authority to build a railroad from Hinsdale through Chesterfield and Westmoreland and Walpole, making connection with its existing lines on the New Hampshire side of the Connecticut river.

It has been learned that nearly fifty years ago a perpetual charter was granted a railroad through this territory, which fact complicates the previous plans of getting the permission sought through the court as had already been petitioned. It has been impossible to locate only a small part of the ownership of that proposed franchise, so legislative action is desired to permit of the early work upon this railroad extension regarded of much importance in that part of the state.

It will be remembered that one branch of the Vermont legislature blocked a proposition for such railroad development for the Connecticut valley business as the railroad had planned which forced it to the plan establishing a direct through line on the New Hampshire side. While the people of that state have made most earnest efforts to have these plans hed in abeyance until there shall be another session of the Vermont legislature to reconsider its action the railroad prefers to push forward its plans of development and make use of the New Hampshire side, and therefore desire early permissive action.

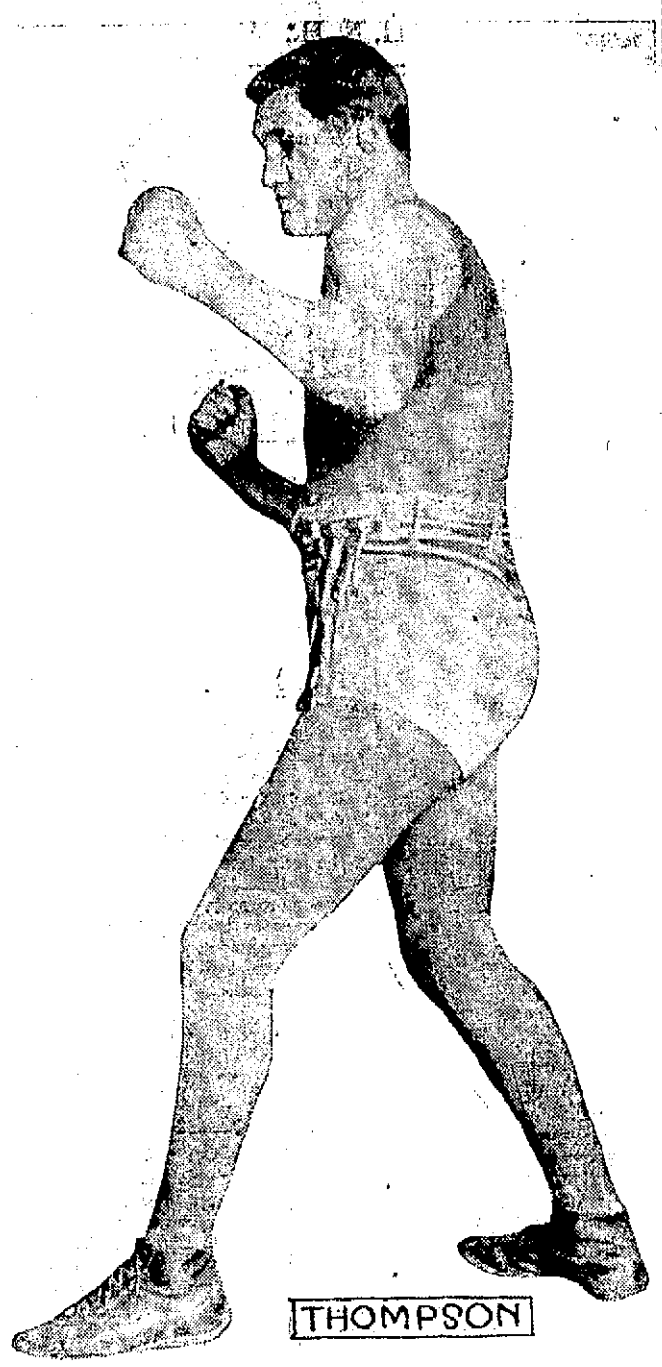
Were there no obstacles the court petition would require much time under the procedure, and it is desired to begin the work of construction at once, as favorable conditions for such operations will soon be at hand.

THE POST LOSES IN PROF. PECK'S LIBEL SUIT

Late Tuesday afternoon in the U. S. circuit court the jury in the $100,000 libel suit brought by Harry Thurston Peck, former professor of Latin in Columbia university, against the Boston Post, because of a review of a book of his in its issue of July 24, 1910, returned a verdict of $2500 for the paintiff. The jury was out 5 hours and 10 minutes.

Read the Herald.

Former Lightweight Now Claimant of the Middleweight Crown



Chicago, March 29—Cyclone Johnny Thompson, who now asserts supremacy in the middleweight pugilistic division says promoters will have to offer him purses of suitable size before he makes his American debut as a fighter in the heavier classes. The man who went on board the Pacific ocean steamer bound for Australia a lightweight and debarked middleweight declares he is through with the halfway purses and is to fight for nothing but the big end prizes hereafter. "If they give Billy Papke and Hugo Kelley purses of from $5,000 to $10,000 for their fights they are not going to get me into the ring for any peanut money," said Thompson recently. "I am claimant of the middleweight title, and I think I have the best right to that pace." Johnny looks even better as a middleweight man than he did as a lightweight. He was a trifle slow in the lower division when compared to such men as Packy McFarland, but stacks up like a whirlwind when placed alongside most of the middleweights. Thompson is the oldest pugilist in the ring today. He is now in his thirty-fifth year. Last summer he went to Australia and in less than two months he became a middeweight. His victory over Billy Papke in Australia last December was a big surprise to the fans in this country.

PROGRAM FOR MISSIONARY JUBILEE MEET

The following is the program for the Women's Interdenominational Missionary Jubilee to be held on Thursday in the North Church Parish House under the auspices of the Missionary Societies of the various churches:

10.30 Devotional Service.
Statement of Object of Jubilee Meetings.
Echoes from Boston and Washington Jubilees
Mrs. Seavey and Mrs. Pattee
11.15 Address, Mrs. Gammon, China
12.30 Luncheon will be served.
2.00 Devotional
2.15 Address, Mrs. Ferguson, India
3.00 Address, Glimpses of Mission Fields. Mrs. Parkhurst

All women are cordially invited to the meetings. Inasmuch as a limited number only can be accommodated at luncheon, women are urged to see their church representatives on the committee at once.

Children's Hour at 4 o'clock with intermission talks about life across the seas. All chaildren invited.

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ODD FELLOWS' DANCE

The degree team of the first degree of Osgood lodge, I. O. O. F., will conduct a dance in Odd Fellows' hall, April 6, with the purpose of obtaining money with which to purchase new material for the degree work. The lodge has already invested about $300 for material of that degree. The party will be in charge of Degree Master John H. Yeaton.

RED MEN HAVE BIG ASSEMBLY AT MANCHESTER

An assembly and council of the Red Men of New Hampshire, representing all of the tribes and calling together 500 members, was held in club Jolliet hall, Manchester, Tuesday evening, to tender a reception to the great Incohonee, Hon. George B. Griggs of Houston, Tex., and for the purpose of exemplifying the several degrees for his inspection. He was unable to be present because of sickness, but was represented by the great junior sagamore of the great council of the United States, Frederick O. Downs of Boston.

The adoption degree was exemplified by Watananock tribe of Nashua, J. D. Shedd sachem, the marriors' degree by Agawam tribe of Manchester, Lyman Burbank sachem, and the chiefs' degree by Skitchwaug tribe of Claremont, Plummer Cafey sachem. The degrees were conferred upon a class of 45 candidates.

Following the secret work adjournment was made to the banquet hall, where the three tribes of Manchester, Passaconnaway, Agawam and Manesquo, provided a feast. Great Sachem William T. Wallace of Milton head of the New Hampshire great council of Red Men, presided. He was accompanied by all of the officers of the great council in the state.

The address of the evening was made by Junior Sagamore Downs, who told of the growth of the order in enthusiastic terms. He stated that within the last eight days 10,000 Red Men had been called together in New England to greet the great incohonee, and at those meetings 1700 members had joined the order.

Nathaniel Spinney of Hampton was here on Tuesday. Mr. Spinney is 84 years of age and occasional gets into the city to greet old friends.

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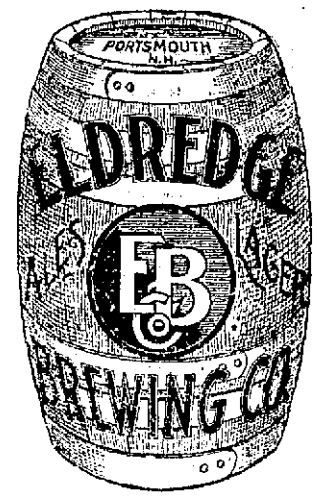

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A WARNING TO SHIPPING

Washington, March 28—Target practice for the Atlantic fleet will begin off the capes of the Chesapeake on Saturday, April1, and Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder, in a communication made public today, requests the co-operation of all ship masters in avoiding delays and inconvenience. There will be no danger, he says, to passing ships, but carelessness might result in much annoyance to the fleet and even a reduction of scores in a keen competition. The stations for the four divisions of the fleet will be on the meridian 75 degrees 15 minutes, in latitude 36 degrees 30 minutes to 37 degrees 15 minutes and the targets will be towed from points along the line of the meridian in direction generally to the left of winward. During the day practice, a battleship will be seen towing a target, and the firing ship will always be on the port hand of the target, at ranges varying from three to six miles. In no case should a vessel stand between the firing ship and the target, nor within 5000 yards beyond the target, because of ricochets. "It will generally be best to pass astern of the group," advises the admiral, "and in any case, it will be a material convenience if the approaching ship will without delay, indicate unmistakably what course she intends to take." Night practice will be on the same meridian at three stations between latitude 36 degress 40 minutes and 37 degress 15 minutes. The targets will be stationary and can be easily avoided, but captains are advised to give them a good berth. The duration of practice will be "until completed," which may take a week.

ENGLAND IN THE GRIP OF MOVING PICTURE CRAZE

Five years ago there were no moving picture theatres in England. Attempts had been made to popularize the cinematograph, but without success. It is less than three years ago that the Pavilion Theatre in Piccadilly Circus, was thrown open for moving picture matinees, but rarely more than a score of people passed its doors of an afternoon, and the promoters were compelled to pocket their considerable loss and admit defeat.

At present there are no less than 2600 cinematograph theatres in England, London alon having upward of 250. I have it on reliable authority that $10,000,000 would not cover the money invested in them. New houses are being constructed as quickly as the methods of English builders will permit; new companies are being floated day by day; and, though some of them fail and go out of business, many are flourishing.

One little house near Piccadilly Circus, seating less than 300 people, returns a profit of more than $50,000 yearly to its fortunate owners. Many others show more than $25,000 on the right side of the ledger after a year's work. In certain sections of London so great is the popularity of this class of entertainment that the cinematograph theatre are built side by side, with barkers in front to boom the merits of the competing shows. It is possible to stand in Leicester square and toss stones in diffenent directions that will alight on the roofs of no fewer than five houses that are turning hundreds away on Sundays Saturdays and holidays.

What is the cause of this remarkable change in attitude on the part of the English public and in the prosperity of the moving picture theatres? In the opinion of those best qualified to say it is due to American films. Moving picture shows in England, as in the United States, are absolutely dependent upon the American films and were the prominent companies of the United States to stop manufacturing or to cut off their supply for the time being the fortunes of the cinelomagraph theatres would drop with a suddenness that would give heart failure to their many backers.

English companies there are. Franch companies and Italian companies and Norwegian companies almost without number but, with the exception of the French companies, no one of them has the enterprise or is willing to spend the money necessary to turn out pictures of the variety and quality demanded by the discriminating public that supports the moving picture theatres.

This is borne out by an interview I had with Montague A. Pyke, the managing director of the largest company operating a string of cinematograph theatres in London. Incidentally, Mr. Pyke might be claimed as another triumph for the United States and is typically American in his push and energy and enterprise and enthusiasm. Under the guilding genius of Mr. Pyke his company runs fifteen of the largest and most successful moving picture houses in London, and plans are being made rapidly to increase this number to fifty.

Likely American Subjects.

"There is no doubt about it," said Mr. Pyke to me, "the American films are beyond comparison with any others now on the market. They are varied and clear and the companies go to enormous expense and trouble to dress the actors for the parts and to enact their stories with the proper background of scenery and properties.

"But, having said this, I must add that I believe the English public is heartily sick of American pictures. You see, they are so superior to the others that we are compelled to give over almost our whole programme, week after week, to them. In the first place, the English audiences laugh when they see the American style of clothes, with broad shoulders and baggy trousers. In the same way American audiences would laugh to see the actors dressed in the narrow, pointed shiulders and almost skin tight trousers worn in this country. Secondly, as was to be expected, supplying films to the whole world as they do, the American companies are hard pressed to maintain asufficient variety in their pictures, and English audiences are becoming tired to death of Indian love stories and dying cowboys.

"Quite naturally, they would like to see some good English films. But where are they to be found? Much as we managers dislike to be dependent entirely on American films, we are driven to it because there is nothing else. The English films now on the market are too absurd to be considered, and the French, with one exception, and the Italian, are even worse.

"It is claimed that the English climate prevents the preparation of good, clear pictures. But in my opinion that is not the real trouble. The English companies and, as well, the French companies. These the French and Italian companies, have not the enterprise nor will they invest the money necessary to make their business a success. Take the American companie as examples of how it should be done. The best of actors and actresses are engaged and rehearsed thoroughly; great sums are spent in dresses, scenery and 'props;' the full companies are sent travelling thousands of miles in order that a true-to-life back ground may be obtained; and finally, men with clever ideas are engaged at big salaries. Now, if the example set by the American companies were followed by an English company, I know that it would be a great success. I would form such a company myself were it not that the constant extension of our business takes all my time.

"Basing my statement on my experience, which has been extensive, I have no hesitation in saying that the moving picture business in England and is only in its infancy, despite the fact that its growth has been enormous in the last three years. I think the future, however, is for the companies with plenty of capital behind them and with confidence enough in the stability of the business to expand large sums of mo busines sto expend large sums of money in fitting up their houses. The next few years will see a weeding out of the cheaper houses, as, with a spread of the more elaborate and more progressive houses, they will not be able to stand the competition.

Fancy Theatres Preferred.

"At the present moment the best class of cinematograph houses cost about $100,000 each to equip and start in business. I am told that that is much more than is spent on houses in the United States, on an average. For each new house we float a new company, and call for the equivalent of $100,000, and we never start until that amount is pledged or in hand.

"I think the ideal prices of admission are threepence (six cents,) and sixpence (twelve cents.) I do not think there will ever come a time when these prices, which are now almost universal among the better class of houses, will be raised. In a few of the houses near Piccadilly Circus and the Strand the prices are now sixpence and a shilling (twenty-five cents,) but there we get an entirely different class of people and there is no protest against the prices. In fact, most of the houses in that quarter have more business than they can attend to, especially on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

"It has often been said that it required little or no capital to start a cinemaotgraph theare in the United States. That statement certainly does not apply to England. In the first place a man must satisfy his landlord of his financial responsibility before he can obtain a lease of a store. Then the authorities are fearfully strict, as to the building arrangements, and structural changes and considerable alterations must be made to provide the proper emergency exits. In one way and another it is bound to run away with many thousands of dollars and if the backer is foolish enough ot attempt to run it on credit he is almost sure to 'come a cropper.' As a matter of fact that will be found to be the real reason for many of the failures that have marked the progress of this business in England.

"Then films are an expensive item. I spend upward of $1600 a week on films. More than half of that goes to the American companies. I know a man who, three years ago, didn't have a penny in the world; today he is the agent of several of the American film companies, and through the business he has built up he has become a wealthy man. Every Monday the managers of the different cinematograph houses in London attend at a hall in the West End and see the new films shown on a curtain. We then decide which we wish ot purchase and how many of each. The films are delivered, but held for release on certain days. Thus some are released on Saturdays, some on Sundays, some on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Special Type of Playhouse Needed.

"We have attempted to convert regular theatres into moving picture houses in this country, but without success. You remember the failure of the Pavilion. There have been many others and we have been forced to the conclusion that people will not climb to the balconies and galleries to see moving pictures. In other words, houses must be specially constructed for this business just as for the drama.

"It has been said by many that the moving picture business has hurt the music halls and even the legitimate houses. In the face of a great body of opinion to the contrary I venture to say, that the moving picture houses have little if any effect upon the halls and theatres. I believe that the man or woman who has money enough to go to the theatre is going, no matter how many moving picture houses there may be to tempt him or her on the way. I admit that if a man has seen a music hall show once and he has a little money he is apt to spend it on the moving picture shows instead of going the second or third time to the same variety show; but that is the extent of our competition with the theatres.

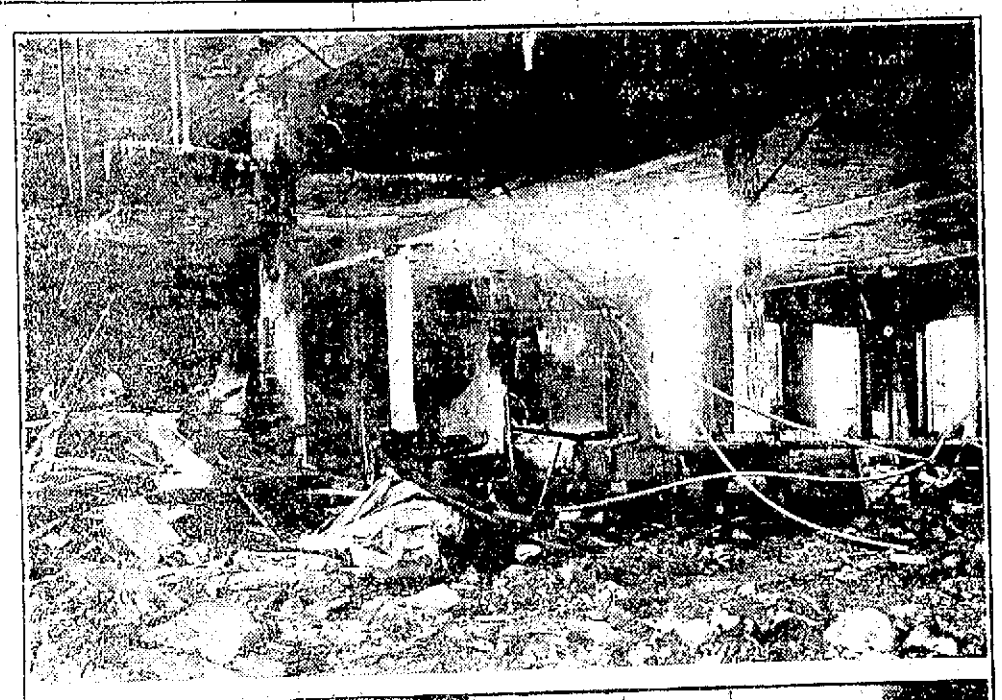
Mr. Pyke's statement regarding the competition of the moving picture houses with the music halls hardly fits in with the loud lamentations of the manages of the latter class of entertainment. For the last three years there has been a steady drop in the prosperity of the music halls, especialy where the competitions with the moving picture houses is stronger. It is just such a situation as faced the vaudeville managers in the United States some years ago, and eventually drove many of the houses into the moving picture field.

The idea of combining the music hall and the moving picture show, as is now the custom in many of the larger houses on your side of the Atlantic, is not feasible here. A music hall in England has to be licensed and aside from the cost of the license it is becoming increasingly difficult to get the sanction of the governing bodies. It is felt that the music hall field is more than full at the present time, and no less a power than Oswald Stoll, managing director of the Stoll circuit, recently was refused permission to build three new music halls in London. Some of the moving picture houses have installed orchestras and singers, but that is as far as they have departed from the straight cinematograph show.

Aside from the liquor saloons, which are open at certain hours, the moving picture theatres are the sole dissapation of London's puritanical Sunday. On that day the cinematograph houses are open "for charity." It is announced that the proceeds will be turned over to such-and-such a hospital. The authorites then wink at the violation of the law. Naturally, the moving picture people, not being in the business for their health, turn over to the institution mentioned only a part of the proceeds. The usual practice is for the moving picture house to retain 75 per cent of the day's takings for "expenses," forwarding the remaining 25 per cent ot the charity. But the managers are not satisfied with that and are circulating petitions for signature calling upon the authorities to allow the shows to open on Sundays without this payment to charity.

There are many who believe that the moving picture craze is simply a boom and that it will die out in a few years. They point to the roller skating boom that travelled from the United States across the Atlantic and struck England four years ago. Today there are very few traces of it left except in the holes it put in the pockets of thousands of investors.—Boston Transcript.

Pictures Showing Scenes at Waist Factory Fire Horror In the Heart of New York City



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Investigations with a view to fixing the blame for the horrible shirt waist factory fire in New York city late Saturday afternoon have been set on foot. It is the belief of the district attorney that criminal negligence caused the fire, which resulted in the deaths of 142 persons, mostly girls and young women waist operatives, and the injury of many more. The ten story building at the northwest corner of Washington place and Greene street, only half a block from historic Washington square, is of the modern fireproof construction, yet the fire in the three upper floors, all occupied by the waistmakers, spread so rapidly that scores of the victims chose death by jumping from the windows rather than roast to death inside. The inflammable material for making waists and the furnishings of the plant were destroyed, the building itself being left practically intact save for the burning of the planking covering the concrete floors and the woodwork around the windows. In the illustration the upper picture shows the condition of the eighth floor, where the fire started, after the flames died down.

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Judge Robert G. Pike at Exeter has handed down decisions in three divorce cases, one of which, Clifford S. Drake against Delania A. Drake, had been pending since Sept. 10, 1909. Mrs. Drake had previously secured a divorce in Massachusetts courts, which complicated proceedings here.

It will be recalled that the alleged "kidnapping" of one of her children from Mr. Drake's old home in North Hampton by an automobile party was published.

Mr. Drake was granted a divorce on grounds of abandonment. He sought the custody of the children, but this was not granted.

The other tardily granted divorces are Mary L. Field of Exeter from James W., statutory offence, and Myda N. Evans, now of Amesbury, from Arthur Evans of East Kingston, extreme cruelty.

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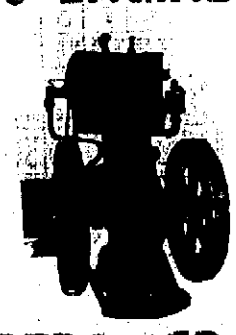

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LET MR. CARR FILE A STATEMENT OF HIS WORTH

Mr. Clarence Carr of Andover, reputed to be a millionaire, and recent Democratic candidate for governor, has written a long letter for the newspapers in which he calls the railroad to task because, in his judgment, it doesn't pay as much taxes as it ought.

It is a well known fact that everything a railroad does own it has to pay tax upon. It cannot hide anything. Its books are always open to the inspection of the assessing boards. It is also a well known fact that the average millionaire does hide a lot of his property.

Inasmuch as Mr. Carr is so anxious that other people pay their taxes, and inasmuch as he is charged with being a millionaire, and inasmuch as his assessment in the town of Andover shows up a very, very, very small amount of money on which he pays taxes, would it not be wise for Mr. Carr to make a public statement as to how much he is worth and on how much of it he is payng taxes? Certainly Mr. Carr must be able to give information on these two points, beyond question. Of course, if it should appear that Mr. Carr was a tax dodger, then, anything he should say in the future about others not paying a proper amount of tax would not carry quite so much weight.

BIRDSEYE VIEWS

Fortunately for the rest of us, the member of the Society of Eddy Claimants are n't suffragettes.

Whether or not Boston's mayor is attempting to emulate New York's, his city isn't the Gaynor.

The best interests of the state are clamoring for an early settlement of the railroad rate question.

Will the Providence physician who disapproves of osculation as unsanitary also frown upon throwing kisses?

We were just thinking, tra-la, that it was about time for someone to spring "the flowers that bloom in the spring."

The report that the mud on the lower end of Market street is a foot deep is a base libel. At no place is it more than ten inches.

The monument to the late Henry H. Rogers in Fairhaven, the town for which he did so much, is to be lighted by electricity, thus violating all Standards of fitness.

The Pennsylvania girl who refused 150 offers of marriage following her advertisement for a husband probably did not number Hetty Green's young hopeful in her list of also-rans.

According to John F. Gaynor, just released from the federal prison at Atlanta, Charles W. Morse is losing his mind from imprisonment and worry. Worry, no doubt, for the welfare of his dupes.

If the cards used by the census bureau in compiling the census of the United States were placed end to end in a row they would extend for more than 12,000 miles, announces a statistican, and certainly we're not going to dispute this highly useful bit of information.

Joseph Brucker, the German aviator, has decided to postpone until next fall his attempt to cross the Atlantic in the dirigible balloon Suchard. He evidently sees nothing prophetic in the name of the season.

And if a special name is needed for the driver of a taxi, why not call him a taxidermist? asks the Manchester Union. Yes, we reflected upon the suitability of the last syllable the other day when one of the critters lost our train for us.

The famous brown dog of Battersea, England, erected by the women antivivisectionists, has been destroyed by order of the local council. A smith smashed it to pieces with a hammer, but he was not troubled with antivivisectionistic scruples.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Forest eRserve Danger.

It was often asserted by opponents of the Appalachian forest bill that this was a graft promoted by the lumbermen, to enable them to unload on the government the lands which they had "skun." It will be necessary to buy hundred of acres of these cut-over lands, and if they are ever to be properly reforested the government must do it, and see that fires are kep out. One month ago the President signed the bill, and today the commission advertises for offerings. This certainly is a business-like beginning. Here is the opportunity for the timberland owners to prove that the opposition was mis-wanted to "stick" the government. Some have already intimate dthat they are prepared to deal on a generous basis in disposing of logged lands, and of those portions of their untouched forest which are not easily accessible.

Nothing in the act requires the commission to spend a dollar in the White Mountains. The appropriation has no string attached to it except that it must be used to protect the headwaters of navigable streams. Already petitions have been entered to divert some of the money to Oklahoma and to the Pacific slope, but the commission recognizes a moral obligation to make a beginning in the Southern Appalachians and the White Mountains, since it was understood by Congress that htis was the intent. If, however, the owners in the north and south, by inflating values or by holding off in the hope of forcing condemnation proceedings, give the commission excuse for turning to proposals from other regions little may be done here.

The government aouthorities have not been over enthusiastic in their support of the White Mountains claim. Even if their official influence was not thrown directly against the New England end, their support was more heartily given to the Southern Appalachians. This feeling might easily be accentuated at this time by anything that looked like a "hold-up." Official eyes in Washington are watching intently to see how much real interest New Hampshire takes in this forest conservation idea. If the Legislature of the state which is most directly to be benefited by the provisions of the Weeks Act sees fit to co-operate by enabling her Governor to acquire the Crawford Notch forest, and if the timberland owners in the mountains wil lthemselves deal liberally with the commission, enabling it to make its purchase there promptly, New England will have reason to expect handsome treatment by the federal authorities. If all pull together we shall see a national forest here worthy of our White Mountains, but we cannot expect it otherwise.—Boston Herald.

The Fire Peril.

The building in which those working girls met an awful death in New York last Saturday was "fireproof" according to legal requirements. It was provided with a "fire escape"; also with inclosed staircases for exit. Yet the interior of the fireproof structure became in a moment a blast furnace; the fire escape was inadequate and useless; locked doors cut off access to the inclosed stairways. So the poor girls threw themselves, all ablaze, out of such windows as they could reach and the street became a shambles, heaped with crushed and mangled bodies.

Is not the duplication of such a frightful scene possible here in Boston?

Something more than compliance with perfunctory regulations is required to protect our factory workers under existing conditions. It may reasonably be questioned whether the conduct of manufactures should be permitted, in crowded workships, in the upper stories of the "skyscrapers" which are multiplying in our cities. It is manifest that the means of exit known as fire escapes have been entirely outgrown by the demands of safety. It is notorious that protective training, such as the fire-drill in our public schools, is too generally neglected in industrial establishments.

Until these defects are remedied, the recurrence of calamities such as that in New York must be expected. But when all is said regarding compulsory provision of appliances for safety, here remains the yet more important concern of the manned of their use. The shirt waist factory in New York went up in a sudden blaze because its workrooms were packed with inflamable material which a spark would set on fire. The poor girls were caught, many of them while bending over their machines, because of the crowded arrangement of the furniture of the working apartments. The avenues of exit were improperly closed and obstructed. There were no automatic sprinklers.

For none of these perils were the operatives accountable. That they existed was a fault of administration, of the conduct of the work of manufacture. It is not alone by compliance with the statutory regulations of building that the peril of fire is to be averted, but more essentially by care and by vigilance on the part of the occupants in control.

It is pitiful that such catastrophes are sometimes needed to carry the lesson of warning for the future. After all, human life is more precious than the safeguarded buildings. To keep it from such tragedies should be the duty of organized society in Boston and in every other city, as well as in New York.—Boston Post.

Unsightly Billboards.

People who have give nary thought to the subject realize that there are certain commercial as well as esthetic purposes to be served in protecting a city against unnecessary disfigurement. A beautiful city is an attractive city, and an attractive city keeps alive the civic pride of its citizens and invites the attention and interest of strangers who became profitable sources of revenue. It is therefore easy for most of us to sympathize with the campaign of the Municipal Art society in behalf of Assemblyman Graubard's bill for the taxation of billboards, even though we may doubt, in view of court decisions nullifying previous legislation of a similar character, that it will be possible to drive the objectionable billboards out of existence.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Graubard bill, to which reference is here made, makes provision for imposing a heavy tax upon billboards in any part of the state of New York except such as relate to business done upon the premises where the advertising appears. This would not prevent a merchant putting up a billboard upon his own premises calling public attention to his ow nbusiness, but it would prevent the leasing of billboard space in cities and throughout the country without regard to the disfigurement of streets and landscapes. During the discussion of this bill it has been admitted by its friends that some of its provisions are somewhat too drastic and that it would probably have a better chance of finding support in the cours if it were modified for second class cities and unincorporated towns.

The Eagle calls attention to the fact that billboards have ruined the appearance of so many neighborhoods in Greater New York that people who have taken an interest in the matter are almes hopeless of reform. They have come to regard it quite as a matter of course that streets and boulevards shal be disfigured by any one who has money enough to obtrude his commercial undertakings upon he public attention. With characteristic American indifference to what makes for ugliness, the people have not only submitted to the abuse of city streets, but they have also tolerated the carrying of the billboard nuisance into the country until now no railway line or well-travelled highway is free from he garing advertising which shuts out the landscape and outrages every sense of property and good taste. It is to be honed that the Graubard bill, properly amended so that it will stand the test of the courts, will pass in the New York legislature, for it is not only calculatned to accomplish much good in New York but as an object lesson of what may be done it will be of value to all states where the billboard nuisance prevails.—Biddeford Journal.

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ALL DRUGGISTS

A TIMELY TOPIC

—BY—

PETER JOSEPH McKEON, In the Survey.

FIRE A DISEASE EPIDEMIC

A campaign against fire should be waged, just as there is a campaign against tuberculosis. Fire is a diseuse which will yield only to the same treatment which has been successful with other diseases. Education is the first step. The same conditions which existed in the Newark factory building which killed women and girls, can be found in many other buildings. Many of the peope who are indignant for the punishment of those responsible for this loss of life in Newark are probably maintaining buildings equally as dangerous. If they do not own or lease factoris, stores, or other business buildings, they are actively interested in schools, hospitals or similar institutions which are without proper fire protection. Their own homes, indeed, are, in nine cases out of ten, personal death traps. If a man does not protect his home and his family, is he likely to protect his factory and his employes?

Some improvement can be secured by legislation. If theatres and tenements can effectively be safeguarded, so can factories, but the laws will have to be based on sound principles of fire safety and will have to take heed of what fire prevention science has already established as necessary precautions. They will have to set standards for new constructions and they will have to recognize the changed demands which changed occupancy, process, and populations make on structures.

The application of the laws will also have to be made by competent inspectors; either special fire prevention will have to be employed, or the regular inspectors will need inspection and training in fire prevention science. And responsibility for the enforcement of the law must be centered inescapably.

ELIOT

Eliot, March 29.

The Easter concert which is to be given at the South Eliot Methodist church is in the hands of Mrs. Geo. Remick and Mrs. Frank Wherren, and it will be a success without any doubt.

Mrs. Frank Leavitt is out of town for a short visit.

The Circle of Willing Workers met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Sylvester Spinney.

The net proceeds from John F. Hill Grange Fair were $808.94. It was a success from start to finish. The weather was fair and all enjoyed it.

Mr. A. S. Remick will move his family to the tenement just vacated by D. Cromett Clark, who was on the Herald staff for about two years.

Mark W. Chick was taken to the Cottage hospital on Wednesday last.

A. E. Freeman and Harry B. Jenness of Portsmouth were the guests of Mr. Fred Robinson Sunday.

The Missionary Society of Maine is to hold its next meeting at John F. Hill Grange hall, the second week in April, the date to be announced later.

J. Howard Preble and John Rogers of York were calling on friends in town on Sunday.

RAILROAD NOTES

The automotic block signal lights are now equipped with acteylene gas as far as Kittery on the Portland division. The lights between Jewett and Kittery will be put in operation in a short time.

Station agent Albert O. Robinson of Sanbornville was a visitor here today.

The funeral of conductor Wesley Abbott will be held at his home at 1.30 p. m. on Thursday. A special train will take the remains to Ossipee for burial

KITTERY LETTER

Kittery, March 29.

Following is the cast of "The Glug Family" to be presented by the Epworth League of the Second Methodist church April 5 in Wentworth Hall: Mrs. E. E. Shapleigh, Miss Eleanor Lovell, Miss Mabel Hodgson, Mrs. Alfred Googins, Miss Aldana Hatch, Miss Berenelce Glidden, Miss Lottie Windrich, Miss Edna Smith, Miss Helen Kramer, Miss Agnes Teal, Miss Lillian Plumpton, Mrs. Fred Hatch, Miss Helen Dunbar, Charles Jones, George Jones, Fred Hatch, Charles W. Philbrick.

Forrest Emery has concluded his duties in Newington and will be employed by Walter Fernald.

Tomorrow evening at 7.30 will be held a meeting to appoint a town committee to co-operate with the county organization to oppose the proposed repeal of the prohibitory law. The meeting will be at the Second Christian church.

The many friends of Leslie F. Pickford of Pleasant street are sorry to learn that he has suffered a relapse of the grip.

A regular meeting of Whipple Lodge I. O. G. T., will be held this evening in Grange Hall.

That April Fool's party at the Kittery Yacht Club Friday afternoon will be some class.

Master Russell Seaward is ill with the measles.

Mrs. Charles Heeney entertained a party at whist this afternoon, the occasion being in honor of the anniversary of her birth.

A regular meeting of Piscataqua Chapter, No. 90, O. E. S., will be held this evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Mrs. Fred Cross of Portsmouth was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Morrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrow of Rogers road, entertained several of her little friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of her eighth birthday. The afternoon was passed with music and games and refreshments of ice cream, cake and fancy cookies served.

Kittery Point.

At a special meeting of the Kittery Point Fire Department to be held at Fireman's Hall Thursday evening the department will be reorganized. It is desired that all members attend.

Word has been received here from Morris J. Fletcher at Anacortes, on Puget Sound, Washington, about to embark on the three masted schooner Joseph Russ of Seattle for a four months' cod-fishing trip in Behring Sea. "Mossy" left several weeks ago with a party of about 40 fishermen for whom there is a newly created demand on the Pacific coast.

Hiram Thomson on Tuesday joined his sister Mrs. Margaret Stewart of Edinboro, Scotland, in Boston and today went on with her to his home in East Orange, N. J. for a brief stay.

Capt. and Mrs. Edgar M. Frisbee have returned from a month's visit in Stony Brook L. I., and Newton Upper Falls, Mass., Mrs. Frisbee's sister in law, Mrs. E. A. Flagg of Newton, returned with them for a visit here.

Miss Ethel M. Mitchell has returned from a visit in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thaxter left this morning for a visit to Worcester, Mass.

New underpinning is being put under the house near Kittery Point bridge recently vacated by Arthur E. Barnes.

Miss Freda Emery will entertain the G. I. C. club at her home in Staye's lane Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilton P. Bray has returned home from Epping where she has been spending a few days with her father.

Following are additional floral tributes at the funeral of Mrs. Cora S. Williams on Monday:

Mound, Mrs. Daniel Frisbee.

Flat bouquet of pinks, Henry, Grace and George Marden and C. H. Coster.

Twenty-one pinks, Mrs. Lizzie Amee.

Wreath of jonquils, Mrs. Martha Hase and family.

Gave Him a Tip.

"Did they give you a tip?" asked a restaurant proprietor of a new waiter who had just served his first customers.

"Yes, sorr," was the reply. "They told me I had better go and carry a rail."

Tires and Sundries of all kinds at Lowd's Vulcanizing Station.

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STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION HAS BANQUET

The annual banquet and meeting of the New Hampshire Press association was held Tuesday evening in the Memorial parish house on Center street, Concord, and to term the affair a sucess would be putting it mildly.

The annual meeting was held at 5.30 o'clock, at which time the following officers were elected: President, John W. Condon, Manchester; first vice president, Judge O. A. Towne, Franklin; second vice president, H. E. Doyen, Manchester; secretary-treasurer, Willis C. Patten, Manchester; executive committee, E. L. Welch of Franklin, F. W. Hartford of Portsmouth and C. O. Barney of Canaan. A committee was appointed to act, in conjunction with a committee appointed by Governor Bass, for the purpose of procuring and placing a suitable marker to be placed in the yard of the Greeley homestead at Amherst.

The banquet at 6 o'clock was preceded by an informal reception to the governor and Speaker Musgrove of the house. During the progress of the banquet, which was served by Nardini of Concord, excellent music was rendered by a ladies' orchestra from Manchester. Immediately following the banquet, cigars were lighted and the toastmaster, John W. Condon of Manchester, introduced the following speakers: Senator Haven Dor, Somersworth; Edgar J. Rich, Boston; Gov. Robert P. Bass, Peterborough; Rev. Sidney B. Snow, Concord; Speaker Frank A. Musgrove of the House; Representative William F. Whitcher, Haverhill; Senator Robert Merrill, Claremont; Representative Charles J. O'Neil, Walpole; Capt. R. W. Musgrove, Hanover; Henry H. Metcalf, Concord; Judge O. A. Towne, Franklin; C. O. Barney, Canaan; Principal Frank W. Preston, New Hampton; O. H. Tenthaker, Berlin; George L. Sibley, Manchester; E. H. Gallagher, Concord; Thomas Wallahan, Concord; Conrad Crooker, Fitzwilliam; W. C. Patten, Manchester, and H. S. Richardson, Claremont. The speaking was of a high order and the remarks were greatly enjoyed by the members of the association and their guests.

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WASHINGTON DINES GALLINGER

Portsmouth Men Attend a Big Testimonial Banquet at Capital

A testimonial dinner was given at the New Willard Tuesday evening by residents of Washington to Senator Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire in appreciation of his services as chairman of the Senate committee on the District of Columbia. More than 400 people witnessed the remarkable tribute to Senator Gallinger's achievements.

President Taft came in at 10 o'clock and added words of praise for the efforts of the senator to make Washington a city beautiful. At the head table were a score and more senators and representatives who had been Mr. Gallinger's colleagues at the Capitol. The business world of Washington was well represented.

District Commissioner Cuno Rudolph called the meeting to order and asked B. H. Warner, who had been chairman of the committee on arrangements, to act as toassmaster. Gen. George H. Harris, for the Washington Board of Trade, presented Senator Gallinger a gold watch. Capt. Oyster, president of the chamber of commerce, presented a magnificent loving cup. The school teachers of Washington sent 74 roses, the dinner being on the senator's birthday. Printers of Washington also remembered the senator, who in his early days was a printer himself, as did numerous other organizations in Washington and other cities.

Former District Commissioner Henry B. F. MacFarland made a speech of welcome on behalf of the District of Columbia. Senator Bailey, Representative Carlan of Alexandria, Va.; ex-Speaker Cannon, Representative Wilbur Thirkield, president of Howard University, and others delivered speeches emphasizing the work of Senator Gallinger had done in behalf of Washington. Late in the evening the senator responded, saying that he had been greatly impressed by the emphasis of friendly sentiment.

Speeches.

Invocation, Rev. Charles Wood, D. D.

Presiding, Hon. Cuno H. Rudolph, President, Board of Commissioners, D. C.

Toast Master, Mr. Brenard H. Warner.

"The Residents of the District of Columbia and Senator Gallinger," Hon Henry B. F. MacFarland.

"Why we love Senator Gallinger," Hon. George A. Post, President Railway Business Men's Association, New York.

"The Capital owned by the whole nation," Hon. C. C. Coffin, Virginia.

"The Capital when Senator Gallinger came here and as it is now," Hon. Wm. E. Chandler, Ex-Senator from New Hampshire.

"Education in the Capital City and Senator Gallinger," Mr. A. T. Stuart, Supt. of Public Schools.

"The Workmen and Senator Gallinger," Mr. George P. Foster.

"The Board of Trade and Senator Gallinger," General George H. Harries, President.

"The Chamber of Commerce and Senator Gallinger," Captain James F. Oyster, President.

"Battleships and School Houses," Rev. W. P. Thirkield, D. D., President, Howard University.

Senator Gallinger.

The following were guests:

The President, W. H. Taft.

Mr. Justice Joseph McKenna.

Hon. James Wilson, Secretary of Department of Agriculture.

Senators Charles Dick, Robert L. Owen, Knute Nelson, Moses E. Clapp, Charles Curtis, Julius C. Burrows, Clarence D. Clark, Reed Smoot, Weldon B. Heyburn, George E. Chamberlain, Porter J. McCumber, Wesley L. Jones, Frank B. Brandegee, Elihu Root, Joseph W. Bailey, Frank B. Flint.

Representatives Charles C. Carlin, Joseph G. Cannon, Philip P. Campbell, David J. Foster, Irving P. Wagner.

Hon. Charles D. Hilles, Asst. Sec. Treasury; Hon. Cuno H. Rudolph, Commissioner, D. C.; Capt. Edward M. Markham, Acting Engineer Comr., D. C.; Mr. James L. Wilmeth, Chief Clerk, Treasury Department; Rev. Dr. Charles Wood; Mr. Kennedy F. Rea, Senate Committee on Appropriations; Mr. Henry Ambler Vale, Senate Committee on Library; Hon. James P. Courts, House Committee on Appropriations; Hon. Clinton R. Thompson, Asst. Clerk, Senate Committee, D. C.; Hon. Francis B. Lloyd, Asst. Clerk, Senate Committee, D. C.; Capt. John T. Knight, of the War College; General Leonard Wood, U. S. A.; Brig. General James B. Aleshire, U. S. A.; Hon. John Barrett, Director General Panama Amn. Union; Ex-Governor Quimby, of New Hampshire; Hon Henry L. West, Hon. H. C. Sherber, Mr. Ira E. Bennett.

Mr. John B. Smallwood, for the "Evening Star.

The following will report as reporting for the press:

Mr. George H. Gall, for the "Washington Times"; Mr. Joseph P. Annin, for the "Washington Herald"; Mr. E. S. Rochester, for the "Washington Post."

The following attended as special guests of Senator Gallinger:

Mr. F. W. Hartford, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dr. Ralph E. Gallinger, Concord, N. H.

Hon. E. O. Crossman, Portsmouth, N. H.

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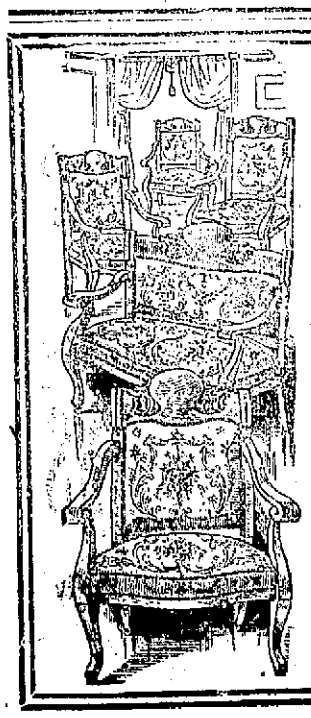

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THINK INJUSTICE DONE MARINE

Correspondents Protest Treatment Given To Unfortunate's Body

The following communications received today by the Herald are self-explanatory:

Editor Herald.—It was with surprise that I read in the morning papers that Dr. Jenness, U. S. N., the head at the naval hospital, had signed the death certificate that accompanied the body of Private Rasmussen to his Western home that death was due to "climatic exposure on a cold night while drunk" Recently some of the officers attached to the navy yard, endeavored to show through the columns of the public press of this city, the deep interest they took in the enlisted men in the service.

As a citizen and a disinterested party, I cannot reconcile my mind to the fact that the surgeon who signed the certificate of death, was so solicitous about the welfare of the enlisted men, as some of the naval officers would have the general public believe.

Did he stop to think of the number of miles that the body of the unfortunate private had to travel before it reached his parents' home in far Wisconsin? Did he think of the number of persons that would read that certificate while the body was en route and the unfavorable comments that would be made concerning the deceased by those not familiar with the circumstances attending death?

Did he think of the grief that the cause of death has stated by the certificate would cause the aged parents also other near and dear relatives of the deceased, who when they last saw young Rasmussen was on his way to enlist and if necessary fight for his country?

In my wish to be charitable and just to the party that signed the certificate, I cannot think that he stopped to consider these important facts or else he would have left off the words "while drunk."

Private Rasmussen, according to his shipmates, if the newspapers state the facts correctly was a clean fellow and well liked by the other members of the ship's crew. At the coroner's inquest Chief Boatswain Hill testified under oath that "the deceased had been with me since last August. His record was an excellent one on the ship."

Dr. Dyke, U. S. N., who made the autopsy when interrogated by County Attorney Richardson as to the cause of Private Rasmusson's death said "I am not prepared to say what was the cause of his death. If he had been drinking heavily it must have been several hours before his death as the stomach was empty of both liquids or solids."

The public can draw their own inference as to whether the last clause on the death certificate was warranted or not.

A BELIEVER IN JUSTICE.

Portsmouth, March 29.

Editor Herald:

The label on the casket in which luckless Private Rasmussen's remains were shipped to his home in Wisconsin today bore the words, "Cause of death climatic exposure on cold night while drunk."

Now, aside from the fact that this is at variance with the reported findings of physicians and the coroner's jury, this damning inscription was presumably to be exposed to public gaze for many hours.

Will not the memory of the unfortunate marine, brutally slain far from home, suffer sufficiently? Is not his father subject to sufficiently cruel torment without this added punishment? Is not this an unjust as well as uncharitable proceeding?

SYMPATHETIC.

Portsmouth, March 28.

MAY BLOCK GRAND TRUNK PLAN

New Haven's Alliance With New York Central Thought Significant

In railroad circles the new traffic arrangement of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad company with the New York Central, through the Boston and Albany, is interpreted as a new and important step in the closer relations of the New York Central and the New Haven system, which may lead to further results in the same direction.

It falls in with the announced purchase several weks ago by the New Haven of the half interest in the Rutland system, which was controlled by the New York Central. It is pointed out that by more intimate relations of the New York Central and the New Haven there can be considerable economy in the mutual routing of freight and an increase of its volume, particularly to and from western points and to a less extent in passenger business.

The matter is regarded as of special importance in the case of the Boston and Albany, on which since its lease to the New York Central some ten years ago there has been considerable annual deficit, borne by the lessee. On the other hand, by obtaining a new traffic hold on the Boston and Albany the New Haven, it is pointed out, makes a further move against the plans of the Grand Trunk for extension in New England.

The announced traffic arrangement of the Boston and Albany and New Haven dates back to the Rutland deal, and it is understood that one phase of it was the withdrawal of all New York Central opposition to the connecting line via Hell Gate between the New Haven and Pennsylvania systems, on which active work has recently begun.

To questions implying that a deal in connection with the Boston and Albany with the New York Central was on and asking whether or not it was likely to go through, and also a question asking how soon the matter would be brought before the Massachusetts legislature, the reply came through President Mellen that the answers to the previous questions would seem sufficient.

AT MUSIC HALL

The following moving picture films are being shown at Music Hall tonight and tomorrow night:

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FAVOR INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL BUILDING

Many Important Measures Before the Legislature.

Representative Adoph Wagner of Manchester led a gallant fight in the house Tuesday morning for a reconsideration of the vote whereby the house rejected the bill to appropriate $80,000 for a girl's building and other improvements at the State Industrial school. After a long debate the house voted 146 to 101 in favor of reconsideration, but as less than two-thirds of the house were present and less than two-thirds of those present voted either way, no valid action was taken under the rules, and the bill went into unfinished business.

In opening the debate, Mr. Wagner moved reconsideration, and in speaking of the bill he said he understood the trustees were willing with a smaller appropriation. He declared there was a great necessity for the building, and said the housing of the girls in the present school was of the worse possible description.

Ahern of Concord for the appropriations committee opposed the bill and decared that New Hampshire should established a policy by which there would be entirely separate schools for boys and girls. Until this was done he opposed any change and enlargement of the present school building.

Sibley of Manchester favored the bill, while Morse of Newmarket opposed it because the trustees had asked for a larger sum in the first place than they deemed necessary later.

Towle of Norwood favored the bill in a most impressive speech, and told of what he saw when he visited the school. He saw forty girls of all ages and conditions sleeping in one room, and he saw sixty boys sleeping in one room. Here boys of tender years were sleeping with old criminals who ought to be in state prison. He declared the baths unsanitary. He saw 140 boys playing in the basement with only one attendant watching over them. For the small boys it was a school of crime. He saw boys doing their own cooking because there were no cooks to cook for them. He went to the school with his mind made up to oppose the bill but the shocking conditions found changed his opinion.

Clark of Haverhill, who opposed the Dartmouth college bill the other day, favored this appropriation. If the state could give $40,000 to Dartmouth, he said, it should give as much at least for the education of the boys and girls given into the state's custody.

Augustus Wagner favored the bill, while Felch of Sunapee and Felker of Rochester opposed it. The fight will be taken up again another day.

The committee on state college reported a new bill appropriating $50,000 for the erection of a new building for the engineering department.

The house passed a bill requiring curtains on all voting booths, so voters in marking their ballots shall be hidden from view of those outside.

Opposition was raised to the bill increasing Superintendent Morrison's salary from $2500 to $3500. The house voted 138 to 105 in favor of the bill, but as the two-thirds vote was lacking it went into unfinished business.

The senate bill regulating baby farms was also passed.

The Manchester delegation held a meeting and voted inexpedient on the Chapman bill curtailing the powers of the common council. They voted favorably on the McDonough bill, with a amendment requiring the common council to sit in joint convention with the mayor and aldermen in fixing salaries of city officials.

The New United States flag was placed on the platform in house, and Senate this morning. In each chamber the flags were brought in by the sergeant-at-arms, escorted by the pages.

The senate passed the cold storage bill with an amendment requiring all cold storage food products to be labeled, as well as poultry and eggs. This was a blow at the beef trust, as they are hanged with the halter which had been prepared for the poultry and egg people.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE

The social committee has made plans fora costume party to be held on April 1.

On Friday evening, the Schubert quartet of Boston assisted by Miss Catherine Cole entertained a large and enthusiastic audience in Thompson Hall with a program of six musical selections and three readings.

On March 27 Prof. Fred Rasmussen addressed the Milk and Baby Hygiene Association of Boston on the subject of "Co-operation."

A mass meeting of the student and the faculty was held in the chapel at four o'clock, March 24. Mr. Albert DeMerritt, the representative from Durham in the New Hampshire Legislature, expressed his intention, if it were supported by the the college, of introducing in the House a bill calling for appropriation of $50,000 to be used in the erection of a new engineering building at the college. His remarks were heartily responded to by several members of the faculty and an unanimous vote of the student body in favor of the introduction of the bill was taken on the motion of Prof. F. W. Taylor. The hearty support of the student body was assured to representative DeMerritt.

The electrical engineering seniors and juniors made their annual engineering trip from aMrch 20-22 in charge of Prof. C. E. Hewitt and Mr. L. W. Hitchcock. The electrical laboratories of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute and the plant of the Holyoke Machine Company were visited; and in Boston the Edison Illuminating Plant and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. main exchange were inspected.

The Alumni Association will hold a smoker at Young's Hotel, Boston on April 14. Frank E. McKone, '99, is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The rifle team won another victory last week by defeating Louisiana University. The standing of the team todate i fisowvne a r setbeico, Sa

The first outdoor baseball practice was held Saturday afternoon on the college campus adjoining Thompson Hall.

The March number of the College Monthly made its appearance the latter part of this last week. In it appeared the first installment of a series of articles by Prof. E. R. Groves on "College Spirit and Land Grant Colleges." The editor also lamented the fact that the student body was not supporting the Athletic Association as it should.

This last week the last of the pictures for the Granite, the junior year book, were sent to the engravers. By the present outlook the editors hope to issue the book about the middle of May. The box in Thompson Hall for the reception of articles for the grind department of the book is accomplishing its purpose and the editor in charge reports that several very creditable tales have come into his hands by means of it.

The Experiment Station is sending out two useful and timely circulars entitled "Horticultural Information and How to Obtain It and "The Purchase and Home-Mixing of Fertilizers" containing formulas for crops as recommended by the station.

The New Hampshire College and Experiment Station are planning to conduct co-operative tests of field and ensilage corn on the county farms of the state with a view of determining the highest yielding and best varieties to be grown by New Hampshire farmers. Each county will be invited to engage in this work and submit for the contest the best seed corn that is known to be grown in the county. The seed from the various counties will be grown in adjoining plots on representative soil on county farms where it is found practical, in each county of the state.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Mr. Lewis W. Dane, State Boys' Secretary, gave an interesting talk, illustrated with stereopticon views, on "Camping with Boys," to the members of the Junior department of the Young Men's Christian association Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He showed views of the boys' camps conducted by the Young Men's Christian Associations of New York, New Jersey, Vermont and New Hampshire. The views of Camp Dudley—which is conducted by the New York State association—were especially interesting as this camp is what might be called the Parent Boys' Camp of the country. The camp talk was given for the purpose of arousing interest in Camp Belknap, which is conducted by the state committee of the Young Men's Christian association at Lake Winnepesaukee. The local asociation plans to have a large group of its boy members at the camp this season.

The membership and reception committee are making a name for themselves as entertainers. Their ability in this respect was demonstrated last evening in the social time arranged by them. The evening's program consisted of games and music. During the evening a buffet luncheon was served.

The Membership Contest Teams are doing aggresive work in securing members. The standing of the Reds and the Blues is as follows: Blues 82 points, Reds 73.

On Sunday afternoon Dr. Arthur Hollenger will give a talk which ought to prove of interest and value to men—on the subject "The Black Plague." The meeting will be for men, no boys under 16 years of age being admitted.

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NAT GOODWIN IS AGAIN FREE

New York, March 28—Woe, woe and more woe is Nathaniel C. Goodwin's.

A most promising matrimonal career has been nipped in its bud by a pitiless justice of the supreme court. Nat. C. Goodwin, comedian and husband extraordinary, may never marry again! Wife No. 5 be she blushing flower of the plain or otherwise, will never be Nat's—at least, so long as Edna Goodrich lives and Nat chooses to remain in the state of New York.

Justice Geigerich signed Mrs. Edna Goodrich Goodwin's interlocutory decree of absolute divorce against Goodwin today, and in so doing fixed Nat's future bachelorhood to the period of his last wife's life. Three months from now, when the final decree is signed, Mrs. Goodwin No. 4—now just simple and beautiful Miss Edna Goodrich—may go forth in quest of another husband.

But not Nat. The only chance for Nat to marry again in this state, according to Justice Giegerich's decision, is to remarry Miss Goodrich, and she is authority for the statement that as far as she is concerned Nat's matrimonal propects are absoutely nil.

The court's decree terminating the comedian's ambition to wed all the mostnoted stage beauties of the present century came after the referee, J. R. Campbell Thompson, filed the evidence, taken behind closed doors in the last wife's suit, and recommended a decree in favor of Edna Goodrich. No alimony was asked by Mrs. Goodwin and none was given.

When they were married in November, 1909, deed of trust was signed by Goodwin conveying to Miss Goodrich property in San Francisco and the city of Los Angeles, which now is said to approximate $700,000 in value. Beside, Miss Goodrich has the famous $12,000 "three rooms and bath" automobile, which Nat purchased for her on their wedding day.

Frequently reports reached Broadway that all was not peaceful in the home of the Goodwins, and once Mrs. Goodwin was quoted as inquiring while in Paris, how she could love a man with a double chin. Then came the open secret of their separation, and quickly there followed sensational depositions of witnessess in St. Louis about Nat's little camp near a suburban garden.

The suit for divorce reached the supreme court here when Mr. Thompson was named a referee to hear the testimony of Nat's alleged indiscretions in New York and St. Louis and elsewhere, it is stated, and to report recommendations to the court. Justice Giegerich took a week studying the puzzle of Nat's marriage, and then his hand forever prohibited Nat from marrying again.

Goodwin's wives so far as the returns indicate, have been Miss Eliza Weathersby, Mrs. Nelly Pease, Maxine Elliot and Edna Goodrich.

BETTER PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS.

Hutch I. Cone, Engineer in Chief who has ben inspecting navy yards on the Pacific Coast, is expected back at the navy department today.

It is expected that the new naval training station on the great lakes will be ready for recruits early in July. It is planned to have it formally opened about June 1, and the Bureau of Navigation is acquiring the necessary furniture and fixtures.

The department has acquired a place on the military reservation at Fort Myer, Va. for a high powered wireless telegraph station. Specifications for the necessary towers and buildings are being prepared by the Bureau of Steam Engineering and and the Bureau of Yards and Docks.

Surgeon General Chales F. Stokes has completed arrangements by which it is hoped to have more thorough physical examinations of candidates for enlistment in the Marine Corps. It has been found that many of the civilian physicians employed as examiners at recruiting stations have not rejected candidates, except in extreme cases. As a result recruits have often been admitted who soon thereafter were incapacitated. It has been contended that a stricter observance of certain well defined rules would benefit the service, and the Surgeon General intends to see that these rules are carried out.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

The following books have been added to the Public Library during March, 1911.

General Literature.

Bangs, M. B. Jeanne d'Arc.
Bryce, James. The American commonwealth. New ed., revised and enlarged. 2 v.
Clark, A. B. Clipper ship era.
Dickinson, Edward. Education of a music lover.
Eliot, C. W. Durable satisfactions of life.
Gregord, H. E., Keller, A. G., and Bishop A. L. Physical and commercial geography.
Hazen, C. D. Europe since 1815.
Hopkins, A. A., ed. Scientific American cyclopedia of formulas. Ref.
Hyatt, Alpheus. Common hydroids, corals and echinoderms.
Hyatt, Alpheus. Oyster, clam and other common mollusks.
Hyatt Alpheus. Worms and Crustacea.
James, G. W. Heroes of California.
Krehbiel, H. E. Pianoforte and its music.
Lyde, L. W. Man and his markets.
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Sloss, Robert. The automobile; its selection care and use.
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Bachelier, Irving. Keeping up with Lizzie.
Bindloss, Harold. Sydney Carteret, rancher.
Buchan, John. The great diamond pipe.
Davless M. T. The road to Providence.
Day, Holman. Skipper and the skipped.
Farnolfi Jeffrey. Unknown lady.
Orcutt, W. D. The lever.
Ray, A. C. Woman with a purpose.
Spearman, F. H. Robert Kimberly.
Watson, H. B. M. Alise of Astra.
Wiggin, K. D., and others. Robinetta

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Baldwin, James. Another fairy reader.
Burgess, T. W. Old Mother West Wind.
Cooper, J. F. Last of the Mohicans.
Dutton, M. B. In field and pasture.
Elliott, Emilia. Patricia.
Forman, S. E. History of the United States for schools.
Johnston, C. H. L. Famous scouts.
McCullough, A. W. Little stories for little people.
Morris, Charles. Heroes of progress in America.
Mott, S. M., and Dutton, M. B. Fishing and hunting.
Perry F. M. Four American inventors.
Perry, F. M. and Beebe, Katherine. Four American pioneers.
Swett, Sophie. Stories of Maine.

RIVER AND HARBOR

Schooner Henry W. Cramp sailed from Norfolk Tuesday on a return trip to this port with coal.

Schooner Luther T. Garretson, from Philadelphia to this port with coal, made the run from Delaware Breakwater to Vineyard Haven in 12 hours

The Penobscot river is expected to open to navigation within a few days and several cargoes are now en route to Bangor.

The scow sloop Umbapepus, which has discharged a cargo of piling at the McElwain plant, came down through the bridge this forenoon [illegible]

[illegible] to the lake steamer Kennebec, which stranded on Pasque island, Vineyard sound, early in January while on a passage from Baltimore to Boston are completed at New York and she left for Newport News to load coal for Searsport.

The three-masted schooner Stephen G. Loud, abandoned in the bay during a terrific gale in December, and whose crew was brought to Boston by the steamer A. W. Perry, has been placed in commission again after being overhauled. She has been towed to Spectacle island, where she is now loading 500 tons of fish scrap for Charleston, S. C. Capt. Thomas P. Hart, principal owner, will go out in command of her.

The lobster smack Nellie G. Davis which was sold some time ago to Fred Eaton of Cape Porpoise, will undergo some slight repairs preparatory to going to Nova Scotia coast, where her new owner will use her the coming season in the lobster business.

Arrived Below.

Tug Conestoga, Olsen, Philadelphia, towing barges Kimberton, with 1550 tons of coal to the Consolidation Coal company, and another bound east.

Tug Cumberland, Svendsen, Portland, towing barge No. 20.

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Schooner Lucia Porter, from Elizabethport, for St. John, N. B.

Schoon. Freddie Eaton, from Boston for Calais.

Schooner William Thomas, from Boston for Portland.

Schooner Ervin J. Lace, from Boston for Stonington, Me.

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The Lottery Man advance sale will begin at Music Hall on Thursday.

PRESENTED WITH SILVER

There was a presentation at the regular meeting of the Addie F. Burkitt Council, Daughters of Liberty on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Richardson, who are shortly to leave this city to make their home in California, were presented with a handsome solid silver five light candelabra. The presentation was made by Mrs. Edward H. Voudy in behalf of the members.

The business and work was followed by a supper of ices, cake and coffee.

BILLINGS-COOK.

Dexter Billings, age 26 of Boston, a brakeman by occupation and Miss Estelle Arleen Cook of North Arlington, age 21, were united in marriage at city hall on Tuesday afternoon by City Messenger Elmer E. Clarke.

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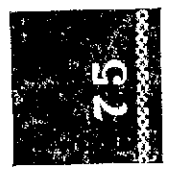

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GUERILLA WARFARE ABANDONED

Mexican Insurrectos Will Fight in the Opening Hereafter.

El Paso, Tex, March 28—Guerrilla warfare has been formally abandoned by the Mexican insurrectos, according to a degree issued by Francisco I. Madero, and made public here today.

The decree organizes into seven groups of states, each group to be known as a war zone, and the insurrectos in each group to constitute a corps.

Army ranks and the promise of a law-giving pensions to widows and children are announced.

Madero becomes "supreme head of the insurgent army."

One of the objects of Madero in abolishing guerrilla warfare which consists in the fighting of disorganized bands, is to induce foreign countries to recognize the belligency of the insurrectos, it is stated.

Dispatches from Chihuahua city today say Gen. Rabago with 1100 federal troops has reached the city, after having been on the march from Juarez since Feb. 24. Rabago went south to repair the burned bridges of the Mexican National railroad.

Most of the bridges have been burned behind him, and Chihuahua city is now said to well fortified and commanded by 3500 federal troops. It is reported a detachment of federals soon will be started northward to find and engage Madero.

TAFT FEELS DEEP CONCERN.

Emergency in Mexico Has Not Yet Passed.—Intervention May Yet be Forced on America.

Washington, March 28—Despite reassuring statements put out from the City of Mexico and other places regarding the state of affairs existing in Mexico, it can be stated on the highest authority that the President is seriously concerned over conditions in the neighboring republic, and does not regard the emergency as being in any way over.

It was expected that when the President returned from his southern trip he would make either an offical or semiofficial statement that would take the country into his confidence and explain why he considered it necessary to mobilize 20,000 troops in Texas, convenient to the Mexico border, and failing that, he would explain the matter to the country by a message to congress when that body shall reassemble.

Although the President has been back for some days, no statement authorized by him has been issued from the White House, and it is not his intention at the present time to send a message to congress. The reason is very simple. It would not be advisable for him to explain the meaning of the mobilization.

To men high in official life who have asked the President whether he intended to explain the situation to congress, the President has replied that he could make no public statement at this time. The President has not gone into details, but that answer is, of course, sufficient. It is known that the President regards the situation as grave, but expect from the immediate cabinet circle the full information which he has is witheld.

Mexico Seething With Discontent.

Confidential reports made to the resident show that Mexico is seething with discontent, and that Diaz has been able to make little headway against the rebels. The change of the cabinet will not, it is believed have the slightest effect in restoring peace to a country torn and wrenched by discontent and anarchy. Something more radical is required, and that radical remedy is the retirement of Pres. Diaz and the chance for his opponents to hold a free and fair election.

What confidential communications have passed between President Taft and Pres. Diaz are not known, but it is stated on good authority that the two executives have been in personal communication, and that Pres. Diaz very well understands the seriousness with which the situation is regarded by President Taft.

It is obvious that a great deal of the information in possession of the President has come to him through secret and confidential channels, and that it would not be advisable for him to make public the extent of his confidential knowledge. Furthermore, he could not, without arousing the sensibilities of a large section of the Mexican people, including the government now in power, narrate in detail the exact state of affairs now existing in the southern republic.

For him to say that anarchy, disorder and an almost utter disregard of the government are present conditions would, of course, be bitterly resented by the Diaz government and might sharply strain the relations between the two countries. It is more politic for the President to say nothing, and to wait until action of some kind cannot be avoided.

Intervention May be Forced on Taft.

The prospect that confronts the President is the possibility that intervention may be forced upon the United States. It can be stated on authority that the Presidcht does not want to have to intervene, and it can be stated on equally good authority that the President will do nothing that calls for the use of the army in Mexico unless he has previously received the full sanction of congress for the use of force. The President will not avail himself of any fine legal subtleties and claim that troops are simply being used to protect the lives or property of American citizens.

When President McKinley sent American troops to China to rescue the legations from the Boxers, it was claimed that Mr. McKinley had acted unconstitutionally because congress had not previously sanctioned the "invasion" of China, but President McKinley acted on the theory that he was not making war on China, but was simply protecting American interests, which Presidents have done time and time again only on a smaller scale, by landing marines and bluejackets when the lives of Americans were threatened.

President Taft, however, will resort to no subterfuge. Before a single American solider is sent across the border the country will know the reason, and the soliders will only move after congress has assumed the responsibility That it may be necessary for the United States to intervene can readily be seen. There are 70,000 Americans in Mexico and there is a billion or so of American money invested in the republic.

There is the Monroe doctrine. Beside the Americans there are many other foreigners and several hundred millions of foreign capital. The European governments will not stand idly by while the lives of their subjects are imperilled and their property is ruined. All the European governments have kept their hands off, because they look to the United States to preserve order in case of necessity, for it would be an expensive matter for Great Britain or Germany or France to have to send troops to Mexico, and those governments are content to have the United States carry the white man's burden and stand the expense.

The United States must do its duty, but if the United States is unwilling to do what is required of it, the European governments will act for themselves.

Ask the Gas Man About That House Piping Proposition

You Can't Afford To Let It Go By

YES! KISSING IS A DANGEROUS HABIT

Dr. Charles V. Chapin of the Providence Board of Health told an audience at the Harvard Medical School on Sunday that kissing is a bad and dangerous habit. He had in mind merely the opportunity afforded by the osculatory process for transmitting germs, and gave no weight to the possibility of the enjoyment making the risk worth while.

His address dealt merely with the abstract scientific theory of germ-spreading. Another radical departure from the existing customs was recommended by Dr. Chapin when he proposed abolishing pesthouses and allowing smallpox patients to go about as they pleased after having all other people made immune by vaccination. If all were vaccinated he suggested there there would be no need for hospitals for smallpox.

While some of the theories regarding germs advanced by the speaker may be familiar to most medical men, they certainly are not to the average citizen. In telling of these theories he aid:

"As the study of bacteriology progressed it was found that many old theories had to be abandoned. It was shown that filth was not, as had been supposed, the breeding place of germs, but that they rarely grow outside of the body. It was learned, also, that germs of disease often grow in human beings without causing sickness, or, indeed, any symptoms whatever. It is not only the patient sick in bed who is a source of danger, but also to a far greater extent the calthy 'carrier' of disease germs.

"It is a well known fact that after cry from diphtheria the bacilli which cause the disease may linger in the throat and nose for months. 'Typhoid Mary,' the carrier of typhoid germs who infected twenty-eight people, had never had the disease herself. Mild, unrecognized 'missed' cases, so called, are in most diseases more numerous than cases in which the patients are sick in bed. We can never tell when we may come in contact with these 'carriers.' I believe that they are the chief source of infection."

DOESN'T WANT B. & A.

President Mellen Denies Rumors of Purchase of That Line.

Boston, March 27—Rumors of possible purchase of the Boston & Albany railroad by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad have been in circulation recently, and to answer them President Mellen issued the following statement this afternoon:

The New York, New Haven & Hartford has not bought, or sought to buy, the Boston & Albany railroad and has no control over its operation.

"The New Haven, however, has entered into arrangements with the New York Central looking to an increased traffic by way of Boston & Albany junctions, and will probably in the near future perfect arrangements by which it will run its own trains with its own power over portions of the Boston & Albany lines, notably between South Framingham and Boston, between Ashland and South Framingham, between Ludlow and Springfied in connection with the projected Hampden railroad extension of the Central Massachusetts division, and betwen Pittsfield and North Adams.

"These arrangements are so obviously in the public interest it is unnecessary to enlarge upon the beneficial results that are bound to follow."

LOCAL DASHES

A cold wave is predicted for the next few days.

The condition of Islington street at both ends of the paved section is in great need of some attention.

The high school scholars will see Congress in session, and with a new democratic majority and speaker.

The York County authorities are taking plenty of time considering the death of Private Rasmussen.

The criminal docket for the April term of court will be rather heavy and Portsmouth will have the greater number

The government inspectors turned 1500 gallons of condemned ketchup into the sewer in Boston on Tuesday.

It is understood that Col. Joseph R. Curtis has purchased the camp of the Strawberry Bank outing club on the Newington shore and will occupy it this summer.

Damon Lodge K. of P. on Tuesday evening conferred the rank of Knight in long form on one candidate. Following the work refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

The new numbers are gradually coming into use in the greater part of the city. In some section the numbers are used almost entirely, there being an occasional stubborn property owner who refused to use the new number with the result that there is the accompaning confusion. If the city council issued an order enforcing the ordinance in that respect it would simplyfy matters.

VETS AUXILIARY SUPPER

The members of the auxiliary to the United States Spanish war veterans will serve a clerks' supper in N. E. O. P. hall from 5 to 7 o'clock, the night of April 13. Mrs. John Desmond will be in charge.

FUNERALS OF FIFTY VICTIMS

Pathetic Scenes as Thousands Show Their Grief

INQUIRY BY FIRE MARSHAL

Girls Employed In Triangle Waist Factory Were Trapped on All Sides—Fire Started From Cigaret or Match Thrown Into Pile of Lawn Clippings—Union Rules Were Not Observed In Ill-Fated Shop

New York, March 29.—While the funeral services for fifty victims of Saturday's shirt waist factory in Washington square were being held yesterday steps were taken for a revision of the building laws to prevent similar holocausts in the future. A committee of five experts will frame amendments to throw safeguards around men, women and children who work in crowded shops and big manufacturing structures. As soon as the necessary changes are framed they will be presented to the legislature with a plea for prompt action.

With a death list still standing at 145, 125 of the victims have been identified. It is believed that but few of the remaining twenty bodies in the morgue can be identified.

The scenes attending the funerals of the fire victims were the most pathetic ever witnessed on the East Side. At some of the funerals the crowds were frantic with grief. Women wept aloud, while men stood with bared heads and tear-dimmed eyes. Thousands of people turned out. In some instances the hearses were followed by hundreds on foot. At times a hearse carried two and even three members of the same family.

Fire Marshal Beers declares that so long as present conditions remain there is continual menace of similar entastrophies in New York.

As pathetic as the scenes at the morgue on Sunday—though in a different way—were some of the revelations brought out by Beers in his public inquiry into the causes of the Asch building disaster. It was shown that the poor girls in that panic rush to escape from the flames found traps at every turn.

It seemed that the very arrangement of the workrooms was a trap. With hundreds of women jammed back to back at their machines when the panic started the narrow aisles became blocked with chairs and the girls were in confusion before they even started for the doors. Then there was the scarcity of exits, the inward opening doors and the death trap "fire escape."

Marshal Beers conducted the inquiry at fire headquarters. Ostensibly it was merely to ascertain the cause of the fire, but the marshal went deeper and questioned at length the fifteen witnesses as to the conditions in the factory and the events of the fire. Beers had questioned all the witnesses beforehand and merely wanted to put their statements in official form.

"The fire, without any question, started from a cigaret or a match thrown into a pile of lawn clippings—light cotton stuff—on the Green street side of the building," said Beers. "There was no gasolene about the place so far as I could learn, and the machinery power was furnished by electric motors. But I can prove that cigaret smoking was no uncommon practice among the men employed in the factory. I found the stains of cigarets in places where they had been laid down by the smokers."

The funeral of the unidentified dead will be made the occasion for a gigantic protest by union labor of the conditions in factories. The leaders in the various trades that are herded in loft buildings where a living is eked under conditions that are a menace to life and health expect the demonstration, which is to take the form of a parade, to be the largest of its kind in the history of the city.

There is a bitterness among the waist makers over the disaster that has been intensified because the Triangle Waist company was a non-union shop, where the rules of the union as to closed doors, fire exits and hours of labor were not observed.

Fire Chief Croker received more than 500 letters from citizens yesterday, praising his action in starting the movement to safeguard the lives of women, men and children employed in office, loft and factory buildings. Many offered their services to aid him in any possible way. Others offered suggestions for further improvements and safeguards.

"The good work has been started, and from all indications will result in immediate and sweeping changes so drastically needed," commented the chief.

Burns Self to Death With Horses

Albany, March 29.—Alone in the world, despondent over the deaths of his wife and daughter within a year, Fred Kipp, a farmer, of East Greenbush, set fire to his house and barn, crawled into the stable with his horses, and permitted himself to be burned to death.

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LOST—March 23, one pair skids, painted red, between Wood Brothers office and South Ward Room. Finder return to Wood Brothers, 29 Congress street and receive reward. h ch3tm28

LOST—Tuesday morning, March 21, a green and white enamel seal pin. Finder please return to this office. chch,m22.

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Boston for Portsmouth—7.30, 8.40, 9.00, 10.10 a. m.; 12.50, 1.30, 3.30, 4.56, 6.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m. Sundays—4.01, 8.20, 9.00 a. m.; 1.15, 7.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.

Portsmouth for Portland—9.53, 10.48 a. m.; 2.43, 9.17, 11.40 p. m. Sundays—8.05, 10.48 a. m.; 9.15, 11.[illegible] p. m.

Portsmouth for Dover—6.55, 9.48 a. m.; 12.20, 2.40, 5.22, 9.10 p. m. Sundays—8.25, 10.50 a. m.; 9.10 p. m.

Dover for Portsmouth—6.50, 10.00 a. m.; 1.05, 4.25, 6.55 p. m. Sundays—7.30 a. m.; 1.00, 9.05 p. m.

Portsmouth for Manchester and Concord—8.35 a. m.; 12.24, 5.25 p. m. Sundays—7.35 p. m.

Concord for Portsmouth—7.30, 10.25 a. m.; 3.30 p. m. Sundays—8.25 a. m.

Portsmouth for Somersworth and Rochester—5.55, 10.23 a. m.; 2.40, 3.06, 5.37 p. m. Sundays—8.25, 10.50 a. m.

Portsmouth for North Conway and Intervale—10.20 a. m.; 3.06 p. m. Sundays—8.05 a. m.

Intervale for Portsmouth and Boston—7.28 a. m.; 4.05 p. m. Sundays—4.30 p. m.

Portsmouth for Wolfboro—10.20 a. m. 3.06, 5.30 p. m.

Connections at Rockingham for Lawrence, Exeter and Haverhill, at 9.07 a. m. and 12.15, 1.52, 5.52, 7.21 p. m.

NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leave Navy Yard—7.50, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45, a. m., 1.05, 1.35 2.15, 2.45, 3.20, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, *6.00, ||7.45, p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 12.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45, 9.35, 10.15, 11.00, 11.34 a. m.; 12.15, 1.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40, 6.10, ||10.05 p. m. Sundays—10.07, a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 m.

*May 1 to October 15.
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There was a big delegation from this city at the session of the legislature on Tuesday.

Do not forget the Easter Sale and Rubber Social at the Pearl St. Church Thursday evening, March 30, 1911. 2t

The City Council are going to take advantage of the state aid and complete the road to the Newington line.

Now is the time to have your lawn mower put in order. Horne grinds the cutters, and guarantees satisfaction.

The roads outside of the city are fast drying up and another week of warm weather and the travel will be excellent.

The Eureka and Barnes bicycles seem to have the call on $25.00 wheels with coaster. See them at Lowd's.

Union Rebekah lodge will hold their regular dancing assembly at the Edisonian, Wednesday evening. Dancing until 11:30.

The high northwest wind which prevailed Tuesday afternoon and evening, caused quite a drop in the temperature and it was well below freezing before midnight.

The City Council will meet this evening and the appropriation bill will be the principal feature. There are several important resolutions that are in the hands of the committee, on second reading to be considered so that it looks like a long meeting.

A Spring Opening of New York Millinery in all its present grades and styles will be shown at The Misses Flynns' on Thursday and Friday, March 30-31. All the ladies are cordially invited to inspect. The Misses Flynn, 51 Congres St. 2t

GONE INTO NEW HOME

K. of C. Take Possession of Lodge and Secure Quarters.

The Portsmouth Council Knights of Columbus, took possession of its new home in the rooms of the Dow building at the corner of Penhallow and Daniel streets on Tuesday and the first meeting of the order was held there in the evening. The rooms have recently been thoroughly renovated and repaired.

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SONG—Gee But It's Great to Meet a Friend from Your Old Home Town. ..... (J. F. Helf)
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THE TRUMP CARD—How a girl caught a gambler that had foiled the police and ruined her brother.

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Thursday night is Red Men's night. Admission by complimentary only to be procured of the members of the Massasoit Tribe, No. 16, I. O. R. M.

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PYTHIAN SISTERS' GATHERING

School of Instruction and District Convention Here Today

The school of instruction and district convention of the Pythian Sisters of the second district is being held in this city this afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Zanetta A. Rose, past supreme representative and district deputy grand chief of the Pythian Sisters of New Hampshire, opened the convention of the Seven Temples in Union Veterans' Union hall. Exercises began with singing "Nearer My God, To Thee," and the reciting of the Lord's Prayer, after which Mrs. Nellie V. Hoitt of this city made the address of welcome. The response was made by Mrs. Emma N. Steuerwald, grand mistress of records.

Business of the convention was then transacted. It consisted of receiving the supreme and grand officers, calling the roll of grand officers calling the roll of the seven temples, and the submission of records by the temples, which include Calanthe of Dover, Crystal of this city, S. S. Davis of Somersworth Damon of Exeter, Freedom of North Hampton and Walbach of New Castle.

In exemplifying the ritualistic work, the temple was opened by Crystal temple of this city. It was followed by the nominating and electing and installing of officers by Grand Chief Late A. Tucker and suite. The question box was in charge of Mrs. Nellie V. Hoitt. Adjournment was then taken until 7.30 this evening.

Mrs. Tucker's suite of grand officers consisted of Mrs. Jennie M. Bell, Mrs. Mary L. Wiggin, Mrs. Ada N. Jones, Mrs. Emma N. Steuerwald, Mrs. Lizzie N. Young, Mrs. Flora E. Tilton and Mrs. Nellie A. Kelley.

The reception committee consisted of the following members from this city: Col. R. F. Hannaford, Capt. George A. Macdonald, Lieut. John S. Carll, Nellie V. Hoitt, Louise B. Hannaford Addie F. Carll Blanche W. Horrocks Ella P. Smith, C. Edgar Hoyt and Frank Hoyt.

Tonight's session will be begun with a piano solo by Ella L. Hammond and a vocal solo by Lieut. John S. Carll. Damon Temple of Exeter will exemplify the knights' and ladies' degree and Col. R. E. Hannaford will sing. Frank Hoyt will sing after the addresses by the grand lodge officers. Crystal Temple will then close the session and the members will sing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

"NORTH END RESERVES" ON DUTY

Marine Thought It was Nothing Less Than the Guillotine for His

There was quite a little excitement on Market street in the North End district on Tuesday evening when a marine with a fussy jag punched a hole in the window of an Italian barber shop.

The soldier had done much guard duty in the service but he never expected he would ever be placed under such a strong guard as the sons of sunny Italy put over him following the smashing of the glass in the window of the new tonsorial parlors of Frank Letterio.

No sooner had the man from Uncle Sam's reservation finished his job on the window when he was grabbed by a dozen strong men, hustled into the shop and told to stand up in a corner in the rear. The marine must have thought that guillatine was going to be put in action and he made several attempts to gain his release. It was no use.

In the meantime a half dozen men were hunting up the police, and finally Officer Carlton was located.

On his arrival at the scene he thought that a safe had been cracked or somebody murdered. He learned, however, that the "North End Reserves" were simply holding the marine until the arm of the law could be found and the arrest made.

WHO WANTS TO BE POLICEMAN?

Kittery Chief of Police Tired of His Unenviable Billet

Chief of Police John A. Grant of Kittery wants to retire and has asked the selectmen of the town to hunt up some good strong man who wants to wear the badge.

The selectmen have been around among the people trying to find a man to relieve Grant and up to date they have not met with much success. The salary it is understood was cut some time ago and since then nobody wants to be the official head of the police across the river with the pay thatn ow goes with the job.

There are a few who tell the selectmen that if the town will hand them $2 a night they might do the required duty but for any less they won't look at it. Chief Grant relieved Samuel Johnson over a year ago and appears to have had a genteel sufficiency in the police line.

SUIT SUITED SO WELL HE FORGOT TO BRING IT BACK

Does it pay to be kind and accommodating? A man who conducts a boarding house on Whter street says "Never again' 'and' is sure that once is enough.

A short time ago he took in a boarder who was employed on the navy yard. He had never seen him before but he "looked good." His clothes were not the best and as he wanted to take in the moving pictures he took the liberty of asking the proprietor if he would allow him to wear his Sunday suit for an evening.

The best in his wadrobe was none too good and the boarder was soon doing the Glenwood Glide with the fair maids. He forgot to come back with the evening dress and the gumshoe men are out on a hunt for the boarder. If they succeed in getting him a few weeks board as well as the swell rig is wanted.

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ELKS' HOME NOW FREE OF ENCUMBRANCE

Exalted Ruler Augustine Dondero announces that the splendid Elks' home on Pleasant street is now free from debt. He says that the stock held by the members has been bought in and that the mortgage formerly held by the National Mechanic' and Traders' bank no longer exists. The home is free ow all incumbrances, he says.

Since the home was established about $3000 has been paid out for furniture and special repairs. The greatest item was $1500 for the remodelling of the third story and the construction of a lodge room. Mr. Dondero also said that the mortgage will be burned with fitting ceremony in April. At tha ttime the big bowl-tournament now going on among the members will close.

At the meeting Monday night fifteen candidates were initiated. Five games were rolled in the bowling tournament, making a total of seven teams or 140 members that have already rolled.

PERSONALS

M. A. Dalton of Candia Depot is here today.

Mrs. B. W. Burke of Kent street is ill with tonsilitis.

Edward Richards of Exeter is in the city today on business.

Thomas E. Call has returned from a visit to Texas and Mexico.

Col. A. F. Howard left Tuesday on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Fannie Philbrick of Dover was here today calling on friends.

Miss Helen Dodge of Salem is the guest of relatives in this city.

John Murray of Sanford is passing a few days with Scott Sommerville.

Mrs. William H. Appleton is passing the day with friends in Amesbury, Mass.

Miss Felicia Clarke of Portland is passing the week with relatives in this city.

Miss Rachel C. Richards of North Attleboro, Mass., is the guest of relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Woods of Marion, Mass., has been passing several days in this city.

Edward H. Marden of Austin street is at the Cottage hospital undergoing treatment.

Frank H. Ellis of York is making preparations to move the Ham house on Spinney road.

Miss Edith White of State street left for Concord Tuesday to pass the week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Wood returned on Tuesday from a visit of several months in California.

Mrs. Charlotte Russell and Miss Florence Russell are visiting relatives in Lynn and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Rand of Lowell, who have been visiting in this city, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude McGowan Reed of Bangor was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles J. Adams of Islington street for the week end.

Miss Cora M. Bell of West Somerville is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. William Burley and son William of Providence are visiting relatives here.

The many friends of Edward Bewley wil be sorry to learn of his serious condition, he having undergone an operation on Tuesday morning at the Cattage Hosptial.

Mrs. William Hobbs and Mrs. Frank Kennard start Thursday on a pleasure trip to New York, Washington, Mt. Vernon and Virginia. They expect to be gone two weeks.

Mr and Mrs. Bert Woods returned on Tuesday evening from Los Angeles where they spent the winter. Mr. Woods reports the Portsmouth people of the West Coast as well and happy.

John L. Mitchell of the firm of Page, Bartlett and iMtchell, left on Tuesday on a business trip trip to New York, accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell, who expects to make an extended visit.

LOCAL DASHES

Union Rebekah lodge will hold their dancing assembly at the Edisonian tonight. Dancing until 11.30.

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